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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): H. Takemori, et al.

Serial No: 09/745,493

Examiner: Ortiz Criado, Jorge L.

Filed: January 8, 2001

Group: 2655

For: INTEGRATED UNIT AND OPTICAL PICKUP

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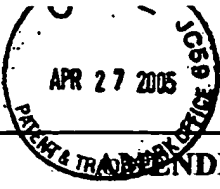
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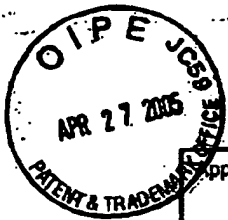
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| 09/736,493-Conf. #4293 | | | | Art Unit 2655 | |
| Applicant(s): Hirotoishi Takemori et al. | | | | | |
| Invention: INTEGRATED UNIT AND OPTICAL PICKUP | | | | | |
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| Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. | | | | | |
| The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. | | | | | |
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